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and old Whigs found themselves cheek by jowl with new Tories; or when as the nineteenth century progressed Whigs and Tories became things of the past; and the two factions resolved themselves into Liberals and Conservatives, respectively. In one thing Whigs, Tories, Conservatives and Liberals were in thorough agreement; when they were out of office, the country was going to the dogs, and everything the government did or tried to do, only aggravated the danger: when they vaulted into office they went and did exactly as their predecessors—and the country survived. Individual men indeed from time to time arose who seemed to change the current of affairs. A Pitt carried the nation successfully through the desperate struggle with Napoleon. A Peel stemmed the tide of financial ruin, almost equally dangerous; a Gladstone let in the great democracy. Yet even these men were rather the creatures than the creators of the circumstances of their times. They were standing by the helm, and were strong enough to hold the tiller when weaker men were carried off their feet. A similar position seems to have lately come on the stage. Only a twelvemonth ago no statesman was so popular as Lord Salisbury. No Prime Minister in his century had been so fortunate; he had come into office when his predecessors, mistaking their vocation, had been advocating strange measures tending eventually to reduce the Empire to the condition of a Greek city. Greece had been great in the individual character of her statesmen, but one and all had failed to grasp the conditions of empire, and Greece had fallen when brought in contact with the imperial spirit. Men recognised that spirit in him, and it was his glory to have presided at the rejuvenescence of the Empire. But the spirit once revived saw other fields to conquer, and to his guidance fell the task of reuniting the colonies to the home-land. This year saw the capstone of the edifice placed in position. But the work was not to be accomplished without bloodshed, and the disorganising instincts of certain settlers in South Africa bid fair to mar the great work. Under Lord Salisbury the great colonies rose up to a man to help the Old Country in the work of completing the task. Lord Salisbury was manfully supported by the home constituencies—apparently too well for the well being of his cabinet; the old Liberals as a protest against whom he had been called to power mistook growing dissatisfaction and attributed it to a reaction against the national aspiration to Empire, and attacked him in his strong point, only to be ignominiously defeated. They however proved that the nation was even more imperialist than its supposed leader. The natural Liberal leaders came forward supporting indeed the Minister's policy but questioning his energy. For the moment, by one of those peculiar revolutions that have at times marked Great Britain the voice of party has ceased almost to be heard. Whether Salisbury, Chamberlain, and Lansdowne more fitly represent the people than such a trio as Roseberry, Grey, and Asquith has come to be a practical question; but the question has lost the virulence with which but a few months ago it was surrounded. Lord Salisbury indeed stands in more danger from the triumph of his principles than ever he did from their defeat. Such is the present position; the nation feels itself safe with either, and the triumph of the leader seems quite compatible with the fall of the party. In any case Lord Salisbury has proved a worthy successor to his great ancestor, whom in his weaknesses, as in his strength, he so much resembles.

The appointment of Mr. W. Chatham as Director of Public Works has been approved.

Messrs. G. E. Liebert and A. R. Elias have been empowered to act as Consuls for France and Peru respectively in Hongkong.

H.M. surveying-ship *Waterwitch* returned from her cruise on Saturday morning, and the Italian transport *Marco Minghelli* arrived from Tokyo yesterday.

It is notified in the *Gazette* that H.M. the King has approved of the appointment of the Hon. J. Thurburn as an Unofficial Member of the Legislative Council.

The date of the second performance of the A.D.C. entertainment at the Theatre Royal has been changed from Thursday to tomorrow night owing to the departure on Wednesday of one of the ladies taking part in *Trying It On*. This only allows one day's booking, but no doubt the presence of our Shanghai and Straits visitors here will partly compensate for the loss of audience which is sure to be incurred by the short notice given.

The death occurred on the 29th ult. of one of Bangkok's oldest residents in the person of Capt. S. J. B. Ames, who succumbed to dysentery. Capt. Ames was close on 70 years of age. In 1884, in the last Siam King's reign, he was engaged in Singapore to organise the Bangkok Police. He went to Bangkok on a three years' agreement, and he retained his position for twenty-six years, resigning in 1890. It was a more difficult position than it is to-day, but Capt. Ames managed to do some useful work, and he received decorations from the King of Siam.

Torpedo practice at the range at Kowloon has been completed, and the target has now been brought in.

The temporary recognition of Mr. Masachi Noma as Consul for Japan in this port is notified in the *Gazette*.

The Hon. Treasurer of the Alice Memorial and Netherole Hospitals begs to acknowledge with thanks the following donation to the funds of the Hospitals:—Dr. G. Bateson Wright, \$20.

It is reported from Hankow that the Japanese have lately purchased very much land outside Changsha, the capital of Hunan, apparently with a view to establishing a Japanese settlement there as soon as opportunity presents itself.

The New Assistant Commercial Commissioner, who is to assist H.E. Sheng in the coming negotiations at Shanghai about the new Tariff, H.E. Huang Chien-yuan, former Customs Tactel of Tientsin, was expected to arrive in Shanghai from Tientsin about the latter part of last week.

Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., the agents of the Indo-China S. N. Co., informed us on Saturday that they were in receipt of a telegram from London that the Board of Directors of the Company have declared an interim dividend of 8s. per share, free of income-tax, for the current year.

The *N.C. Daily News* of the 12th inst. says:—The continual booming of bombs made it impossible not to notice the eclipse of the sun yesterday afternoon. In the cloudless sky it was very plainly seen, nearly a third of the sun's disc being obscured at sunset, the lower left-hand portion of the sun's face being darkened.

Messrs. Erich Georg & Co. say in their weekly share list, dated Hongkong, 18th November:—Notwithstanding the restricting influence exercised by the Cricket holidays, a very fair amount of business has been in progress this week, and rates have been well maintained throughout, in some cases showing an improvement. The Rates of Exchange on Shanghai are unchanged.

The Breitshnok-Marquardt Concert Company, which is making a tour of the world, will arrive in this Colony from Amoy probably about the 25th inst., and will give an entertainment as soon after that date as possible. Both Herr Marquardt and Madame Marquardt, the former a violinist and the latter a harpist, have toured Europe and the United States repeatedly; in 1895 they visited Australia and New Zealand. On 22nd June of this year they started from the United States on their present tour, which includes Hawaii, Japan, China, Philippine Islands, Straits Settlements, British India, Egypt, and England. By April, 1902, Herr and Madame Marquardt hope to be in Germany. Press notices regarding this musical couple speak very highly of their talent.

The ceremony attending the marriage of Mr. N. Post, Vice-Consul for Austria-Hungary, with Miss Erni Stavianick, at the Roman Catholic Cathedral, Glenloch, on Saturday afternoon, was a very pretty and interesting one. The pillars of the Cathedral were draped with coloured cloth, and around the altar flags were hung. Miss Stavianick looked very sweet in her bridal robes, and her train was carried by two pretty little girls. Madame Frod, who is giving a concert in St. George's Hall this evening, was present, and after the ceremony sang, with exquisite feeling, Gounod's "Ave Maria." This, too, despite the unfortunate fact that the organ is none of the best. Professor Galuzzi played the accompaniment. A reception was afterwards held by Mr. and Mrs. Harling at their residence, 2, Victoria Lodge.

Under the heading of "a strange story" the *N.C. Daily News* publishes the following telegram, dated Peking, 12th November:—It is privately learnt, on excellent authority, that the real reason for Prince Ching's being ordered to proceed to Kaifengtu "night and day" from Peking was that Yung Lu accused him of the Empress Dowager of conspiring against their Majesties with the aid of certain Foreign Powers. Yung Lu told the Empress Dowager, if she believed his report, to summon Prince Ching to an audience at Kaifengtu, when the Prince would certainly refuse to obey the summons. Prince Ching, having ascertained the reason of his summons to Kaifengtu, declined to turn back although he received en route, fifteen telegrams urging him to return to Peking at once, the fulfilment of H.E. Li Hung-chang demanding his immediate presence at Peking. Bursting into tears, the Prince said: "I am indeed forsaken by Heaven, since their Majesties doubt my loyalty. If I return to Peking my death is certain." He therefore made all haste to meet the Court.

Our Masao correspondent writes to us saying that the amount to be paid for the purchase of the Boa Vista Hotel is \$70,000, not \$80,000, as previously stated. The purchasers are the Santa Casa da Misericordia, who on the 14th instant handed over \$20,000 of the bargain money and were to pay the balance, \$50,000, on the 15th. The assignment was not completed owing to a technical difference between the vendor's solicitor and the Land Registry office at Masao as to the amount of fees payable to the Government. A satisfactory understanding, however, was anticipated. Our correspondent continues:—"The acquisition of this fine building on one of the healthiest sites in Masao must be regarded as another feather in the caps of the present Directors of the Santa Casa da Misericordia, for it is their intention to convert it into an hospital. The size and unrivalled position of the building are certainly in advance of actual local requirements for an hospital wholly maintained in the cause of philanthropy. Its purchase, therefore, bespeaks much for the parental care for the indigent sick of this Colony and the prosperous resourcefulness of the institution's finances."

The new American Settlement at Tientsin, it is stated, will be somewhere above the Japanese Settlement, between the latter and the Iron Bridge.

The Chinese military students, nineteen in number, specially sent by the Viceroy of Szechuen, have arrived in Japan, accompanied by Captain Idogawa of the Japanese army.

Major Woolf Sampson, who took charge of Col. Benson's command after the latter's death in the rear-guard action near Bethel, is known as a Johannesburg reformer, and was one of the first to form the regiment of Imperial Horse in Natal shortly after the outbreak of the war.

The *Japan Mail* says:—Count Okuma thinks that whatever Power possesses Manchuria will be mistress of the fate of the Far East. Therefore Japan cannot possibly consent to see Russia in possession. The present Cabinet will not be found weak-kneed in the matter.

According to a note in the *Echo de Chine*, the tailor of Prince Bismarck criticised with much acerbity the statue of the Prince intended to be erected in front of the Reichstag in Berlin. The sculptor Bogas has given the Prince loose trousers, whereas he always, as everybody knows, wore them tight.

Forest fires have been raging in the neighbourhood of Vladivostok extending from Nafajinsk station to Kheikovo (a short distance from Vladivostok on the Ussury Railway), and at the end of last month were spreading for several miles in width, destroying numerous stacks of hay, thick forests, and everything else in their path. No one thinks of taking the trouble to extinguish or check the fire, writes a correspondent, and it is painful to see how public property perishes, without seeming to concern anybody.

Hitherto a limit has been imposed on emigration to Hawaii, says the *Japan Mail*. A notification of the Home Department forbade that more than 60 persons—irrespective of wives and children—should embark on any one mail steamer. This limit has now been raised to 100. In the case of emigrants to Vancouver also the total veto, issued in August of last year, has been changed to read that anyone possessing a certificate from the Japanese Consul in Vancouver may proceed to Canada, taking with him, of course, his wife and children.

Messrs. J. Maret & Co. write to a Colombo paper that the French steam navigation company "Chargers Réunis" have commenced running a new line of their steamers between Dunkerque, Havre, Bordeaux, Marseilles, Port Said, Colombo, Singapore, Saigon, Hanoi, direct without transhipment. This service commenced leaving Dunkerque on the 25th of September (monthly). The first steamer *Amiral Dupierre* is due in Colombo about the end of this month and on return these steamers will call at the same ports as outward-bound. The steamers will take any nature of cargo, and deck passengers at the cheapest rates. Through bills of lading will be granted for all Antilla Ports, South American Ports, Western Coast of Africa, Cape Town, Natal, and Madagascar.

The *Rangoon Gazette*, summarising the report on the administration of the Indian Telegraph Department for 1899-01, says:—Quite apart from disturbances, the Bhamo telegraph route to China has proved a great disappointment. The route would have been a popular one between India and the Far East, but no business man dreams of using it on account of its uncertainty and other failings. The same is the case, though to a much smaller extent, with the Maitmain-Bangkok line via Kanburi. During the year this route was interrupted for about thirty-one days against twenty-one days in the previous year. The number of interruptions beyond the Indian limits was fifty-six, lasting twenty-seven days. Accidents will happen, of course, especially in tropical jungles, but it is clear the Siamese authorities, though better than the Yunnan officials in this respect, are still very slack in their care of the wires. There are now 181,179 miles of wire under the Department. The surplus revenue during the past year represents a return on the capital outlay of 6.22 per cent.

The *N.C. Daily News* correspondent, writing from Tientsin on the 2nd inst., says:—We are this morning informed by wire that the offices and the mess-quarters of the Marine Transport have been destroyed by fire at Sinio, near Tangku. It broke out in the office, and at the moment the watchman was absent and had the key with him, so that the opportunity of quenching it while still small was lost. Finally it spread to the mess-room and the officers' quarters and destroyed everything. Much of the personal kit was lost: the premises themselves were of no great value. A fire broke out in the premises of Messrs. Drost and Batschoff at 11 p.m. yesterday, and notwithstanding the presence of nearly all the troops in the garrison, who worked with a right goodwill, every building in the large compound, except one minor place, was completely gutted. The Royal Welsh barracks were in one part of the compound, and it is truly lamentable to relate that two of the men in the deep sleep of fatigue were overpowered with the smoke, suffocated, and afterwards burned to mere dust. Their funeral has taken place this afternoon. The fire originated in some cargo in the open, but how is not known at this moment. Once again Tientsin has to bewail the absence of powerful means of coping with a fire of magnitude. I understand that Mr. and Mrs. Dyeste were only aroused from sleep long after the flames had got a grip, and were actually in some personal danger. Their fine new premises had several narrow escapes from incendiary shells during the Siege.

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TELEGRAMS.

"DAILY PRESS" SERVICE.

[FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.]

GENERAL NEWS.

LONDON, 17th November, 2.45 p.m.

THE AUSTRALIAN IMMIGRATION RESTRICTIONS.

The Alien Bill has passed the second reading without a division taking place.

REUTER'S SERVICE.

LONDON, 14th November.

QUEEN WILHELMINA PREMATURELY CONFINED.

An eminent obstetrician has been summoned to attend Queen Wilhelmina of the Netherlands. The German papers announce that the Queen was prematurely confined on the 10th inst.

MR. BRODRICK ON THE WAR.

Mr. Brodrick, speaking at the City Carlton Club, said the war in South Africa had been protected by undue leniency shown to the rebels, and pro-Boer sympathy in England.

Fresh troops were being sent out to South Africa to replace the tired ones now serving, and in addition to these, 2,000 mounted troops and two battalions of infantry would be sent from home, and four battalions of infantry and two cavalry regiments from India.

BRITISH CONVOY CAPTURED.

The Boers under Commandant Maritz attacked a British convoy at Boremdam, Cape Colony, which they captured after a stout resistance. There were fourteen casualties.

LONDON, 14th November.

QUEEN WILHELMINA.

The premature confinement of Queen Wilhelmina is confirmed.

ARMY NEWS.

Army orders notify the embodiment of the Militia battalions of the Liverpool and Warwickshire regiments.

GIGANTIC RAILWAY TRUST.

A gigantic American trust has been incorporated to control the bulk of the Trans-American railway, involving a mileage of 47,000, and a capital of \$80,000,000 sterling.

LONDON, 15th November.

SOUTH AFRICA—ATTACK ON COL. BYNG'S REARGUARD.

The rearguard of Colonel Byng's column was attacked by 400 Boers believed to be under De Wet's command. The enemy was repulsed, leaving eight dead on the field. The British had eleven casualties.

LONDON, 15th November.

THE AUSTRALIAN TARIFF.

The composite duty on tea imported into Australia has been abolished in favour of a fixed duty of 3d. on tea in bulk, and 4d. on packed tea.

BOERS RAIDING IN CAPE COLONY.

Further Boer raids have taken place in the South-west and North-east of Cape Colony. There is a growing feeling of resentment against the Afrikaner Bond.

THE NEW GERMAN TARIFF.

The Berlin Federal Council (Bundesrat) has passed the new tariff, almost without amendment.

THE LATE PRESIDENT MCKINLEY.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 681. The following telegram to H.M. Ambassador at Washington on the death of President McKinley, and reply from H.M. Charge d'Affaires, are published in the *Gazette*.

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DISASTROUS FIRE.

GREAT DAMAGE.

At half past five o'clock yesterday morning the fire bell at the Central Police Station changed out its alarm, and roused the sleeping firemen to duty. They tumbled into their clothes, and were all ready for work when the word came that a serious outbreak was in progress at the Kwong Yik end of Des Voeux Road. When the Brigade reached the scene of the fire it was seen that two godowns in Des Voeux Road, Nos. 540 and 542, were in flames. Thick smoke was rising into the air, and this, with the loud, platelike report of burning material, at once impressed the firemen with the conviction of what was really the case—that the Brigade had to battle with one of the most serious conflagrations yet known in the Colony. The men were under the command of Mr. F. J. Buley, Acting Captain Superintendent of Police, who was assisted by Mr. A. Mackie, Acting Deputy Captain Superintendent, and Mr. J. W. Kinghorn, of Messrs. Kinghorn and Macdonald, a gentleman holding the position of Superintendent Engineer of the Fire Brigade. Steam had already been got up on the engines on the way down from the Fire Station, and thus it was that streams of water were able to be directed at once on the burning godowns. A floating engine had also steamed down at full speed, and those on board co-operated so effectively with their comrades on the Praga that in half-an-hour all danger of the outbreak spreading to the adjoining godowns—how imminent that danger was only those on the spot realised—was safely averted. Then it became a matter of fighting the fire on its own ground, and a deluge of water was poured upon the flames. Gradually they were checked, but not before the roofs of both godowns had crashed in, carrying with them the greater part of the flooring and leaving only the bare walls standing. As the morning wore on the fire was effectively mastered, but the great clouds of smoke and steam showed how serious it had been, and how great the damage it must have wrought. The firemen who had been on duty from the commencement of the outbreak were then relieved by fresh relays, and the work of playing water on the ruins was continued throughout the entire day and into the night.

Of the two godowns, No. 540 is entirely owned by the Kwong Yik firm, 12, Bonham Strand West. Stored in it were between twelve and thirteen thousand bags of rice valued at about \$75,000. The other godown, No. 542, has a joint ownership. The ground floor is held by the Jee Tak Sang firm, 18, Bonham Strand West, and the upper floor by the Hee Yik firm, 135, Wing Lok Street. The ground floor of this godown was stored with miscellaneous merchandise, including eighty-nine cases of matches and large quantities of cotton, hides, sugar, medicines, etc., to the total value of about \$80,000. The Hee Yik firm had nearly ten thousand bags of rice stored on the upper floor, and valued it at about \$30,000. The first godown is insured for \$80,000, so that there is a clear loss to the owners, the Kwong Yik firm, of at least \$30,000. The damage sustained by the Jee Tak Sang firm is amply covered by the insurance, which amounts to \$115,000. That for the Hee Yik firm's property is \$5,000 above the estimated loss, the insurance amounting to \$35,000. It is not expected that much, if indeed any, of the stock contained in the godowns will be saved. That part of it which escaped the fire has been soaked with water to such an extent as to make it very doubtful whether it can ever be used as a merchantable commodity. The total loss in buildings and stock is at present placed at between two and three hundred thousand dollars.

No fire has yet been gained as to the cause of the fire, but whilst one report says that it originated in the first godown, No. 540, where bags of rice only were stored, another affirms that it was the fire started on the ground floor of the second godown, No. 542, where, as already stated, not less than eighty-nine cases of matches were lying. Colour is lent to this view by the statement of a Chinese resident in the immediate vicinity that he was awakened by a succession of loud reports which he thought were coming from a godown opposite the window of his house. The second godown, apparently afterwards showed, is the only one that can be seen from his house. This man's statement is a certain extent verified by that of some workmen who aver that the first indication of a fire was an explosion such as might have resulted from the igniting of some of matches, the noise coming from the direction of the second godown. The investigations of the police will doubtless clear the point.

MADAME FREED'S CONCERT.

The following is the programme for Madame Agnes Freed's concert, which will be given under the patronage of Sir W. and Lady Gosnold and Commanders and Mrs. Foyall tonight at 8 o'clock in the St. George's Hall.

Symphony *Wagner*
 1st. *Prokofiev* and *M. S. Glinka*
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E. F. GROS,
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Taipei, 5th October, 1900. [818]

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AUCTIONS

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, for account of the CONCERNED, TO-DAY (MONDAY), the 18th November, 1901, at 11 A.M., at their SALES ROOMS, 20, Des Vaux Road, ABOUT 10,000 ALHAMBRA CIGARS, comprising:—

HIGH LIFE, REGALIAS, PRINCESAS, MEDIA REGALIA, and LONDRES.

TERMS—As usual. HUGHES & HOUGH, Auctioneers. Hongkong, 15th November, 1901. [2913]

PUBLIC AUCTION.

TO be Sold, pursuant to an Order of the Supreme Court of Hongkong, made in Action No. 91 of 1901 with the approbation of the Acting Chief Justice, by Messrs. HUGHES and HOUGH, at their Rooms, No. 20, Des Vaux Road, Central, TO-DAY (MONDAY), the 18th day of November, 1901, at 12 o'clock Noon, in One Lot, certain LEASEHOLD PROPERTY registered in the Land Office as Inland Lot No. 507, with the Seven Messuages thereon known as Nos. 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, 46, and 48, Stone Nullah Lane. For Particulars and Conditions of Sale apply to—

THE AUCTIONEERS; or to WILKINSON & GRIST, 70, Queen's Road. Dated the 9th day of November, 1901. [2873]

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, for account of the CONCERNED, TO-DAY (MONDAY), the 18th November, at 2.30 P.M., at their SALES ROOMS, 20, Des Vaux Road, By Order of the Executor of the late Mr. EDWARD ROBINSON, Barrister-at-Law, A LARGE NUMBER OF BOOKS, comprising:—Bibles, Other Works, A COMPLETE LAW LIBRARY, Also 1 MAGAZINE MATCH RIFLE, 1 SPORTING GUN, 1 SALOON RIFLE, 1 MAGAZINE RIFLE, 1 REVOLVER, also a few CARTRIDGES, And 1 LADY'S BICYCLE. Open for inspection in the Auction Rooms on Monday morning, the 18th inst. TERMS—As usual. HUGHES & HOUGH, Auctioneers. Hongkong, 14th November, 1901. [2904]

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on THURSDAY, the 21st November, at 2.30 P.M., at No. 36, MORRISON HILL ROAD, Wanchai, A QUANTITY OF VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE. (Full particulars in Catalogue.) On View from WEDNESDAY, the 20th November. TERMS—Cash on delivery. GEO. P. LAMBERT, Auctioneer. Hongkong, 15th November, 1901. [2914]

NOTICE OF FIRM

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the PARTNERSHIP at WILL hitherto subsisting between FRANK WAPSHARE, WATTS, THOMAS EDWARDS, and NG CHI MI has been and is DISSOLVED as on and from the 14th day of November, 1901, under the Style or Firm of EDWARDS & CO. Dated this 15th day of November, 1901. THOMAS EDWARDS. NG CHI MI.

IN Reference to the above advertisement, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned THOMAS EDWARDS and NG CHI MI have entered into PARTNERSHIP and will carry on Business as on and from the 14th day of November, 1901, under the Style or Firm of EDWARDS & CO. Dated this 15th day of November, 1901. THOMAS EDWARDS. NG CHI MI. [2912]

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CONSTABULARY IN THE PHILIPPINES.

[FROM A SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.]

Manila, 12th November.

There are important possibilities in the insular constabulary, now in course of organization here. Natives thereby will preserve the peace among their own. Such oversight is manifestly better than by those whom the people regard as strangers. If the experience of European colonial government in the East is to be repeated in the Philippines, there will be more than an even chance that the disposition thus shown by the authorities will be reciprocated in the confidence and goodwill of the people, a return not only worth gaining, but without which all progress must be hampered. Moreover, were there no work elsewhere for an army to do, the greater part of it might be kept in garrison in the United States at less cost than in the Philippines. Money outlay is only part of the price of the retention of the troops in these islands. Evacuation incident to a trying climate cannot be left out of the reckoning. There is no harm in the Philippines for a short stay, but troops accustomed to the invigorating changes of temperate latitudes must pay in drafts on their health if they remain here long. An efficient constabulary should permit the withdrawal of the greater part of the 40,000 men now here, a considerable substitution of native troops for white ones, and such a plan of rotation as may give home commands tropical service with the least possible physical risk. Should the constabulary meet the hopes of its projectors, it will contribute quite as much as any other agency to the success of Philippine government.

Peace work by the constabulary is to have the widest scope. Arrest of persons for common crime could serve only minor ends. Municipal forces should be able to look after that in the towns, and their patrol will cover much of the territory in which robbers may gather plunder, or where personal animosity may find most frequent vent in assault or disorder. Danger to the common welfare does not lie in the small disturbances inseparable from town life. There would be no good reason to draw on the public treasury for the support of an insular body merely to assist or reinforce local peace guardians. Prevention rather than cure is to be the office of the constabulary, and the dangers against which it will guard, if it shall serve the purposes really behind its organization, are those that might strike, if unchecked, at the conditions that tend toward a happy and orderly rule. The constabulary will not be a force of spies. There is no intention to interfere with as large liberty among the people as circumstances may warrant. It has by no means been proved that the natives are treacherous. Whatever moral bias may have fallen to them by birth or training, or whatever the infirmities of the insular temper, it is yet to be demonstrated that their inclinations prompt them to treachery in allegiance. Spain had ample warning of insurrection. The outbreak that opened hostilities with the American troops had been anticipated. If the people really wished independence, it is surprising how few have recanted their allegiance and gone into the field after taking the oath. Peril at this time and in immediate prospect, comes from the ambitions of disappointed or revengeful leaders, and their power over the weakness of the masses rather than from a quality of public conscience which encourages promises that are intended to be broken. While no just cause for grievance exists by reason of any public occurrences in the last year, especially in plans for the establishment and spread of civil rule, and while the people most devoutly wish for peace, ground for fear is not wanting that discontent and possibly strife may be incited for selfish ends.

Instances of surviving insurrection in some of the provinces illustrate the spirit in which danger lurks. No leader in the field can imagine that he has the remotest chance of helping his people by remaining out. He may enrich himself and perhaps gratify such of his followers in arms who prefer outlawry to order. In the districts which submit to levy for the support of such demonstrations, there must be many contributors who are fully aware of the futility of the opposition to authority. Yet even persons so convinced, knowing that their personal comfort and the welfare of their communities depend upon peaceful conditions, keep on paying tribute to those in the field, whom they could not on any account be induced to betray to the American authorities. The masses in communities from which help is asked furnish it as a matter of course to the extent of their ability, and say nothing to the authorities about it. What the Americans learn definitely comes from provinces cleaned up, after the tribute has ceased. Native tell of what has occurred but not of evils or impositions existing. All testimony agrees that the stress of insurrection has been much more severe upon the purses and property of the people than were the injustices committed by Spain. The money and energy employed for a Secret Service in the islands have availed little against the wall of native taciturnity. Such results as justify the Secret Service organization may be largely traced to native agencies, employed sub rosa in the service. American skill would be baffled but for help from this source. On the other hand, no service could possibly be organized more efficient than that which the insurgents have enjoyed, for practically all the natives in the unoccupied districts are self-constituted agents, who get nothing for what they do, but are as faithful and diligent in conveying information that comes their way to the insurgents, or passing it on in their direction, as if they were highly paid. This kind of native work has proceeded under the eyes of the authorities in Manila, so that intentions framed at headquarters have beyond doubt reached distant provinces ahead of official

instructions, and have been known by natives in these provinces before the persons for whom they were intended received them. Secret Service officials heard of this proceeding from officers of regiments in various parts of the islands, who knew of the intention to transfer their commands from native rumour, sometimes several days in advance of the receipt of official orders. The bait of false information was put out and nibbled, and the corrective then applied. Men suspected of the mischief found themselves shifted to offices as remunerative as the ones in which they had been able to serve their friends, and nothing said to them about the cause for the change. The only certainty in this connection is that less information seems to leak than before. Leakage at any rate is not so noticeable as formerly. It would be rather too much to hope that it had wholly ceased, for the insurgents now out seem to know enough of what concerns them at Manila to enable them to keep out of the way of harm and, as at Lipa, they occasionally inflict so much damage as to compel the inference that something more than military presence guides them.

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NAGASAKI & KOBÉ & YOKOHAMA	ROSETTA MARU	Jap. str.	2 m.	N. Tate	NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA	On 22nd inst., at Daylight.
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SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, KOBÉ & YOKOHAMA	WUENGO	Brit. str.	2 m.	W. J. B. Baker	MESSAGERIES MARITIMES	On or about 17th inst.
SHANGHAI	CHUSAN	Brit. str.	2 m.	C. L. Daniel	BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE	To-morrow.
SHANGHAI	JAVA	Brit. str.	2 m.	G. W. E. Babot, R.N.R.	P. & O. S. N. Co.	On or about 23rd inst.
SHANGHAI	ANPING MARU	Jap. str.	1 m.	S. Atsumi	MITSUBISHI KAISHA	On or about 7th Dec.
SHANGHAI	MAIDZURU MARU	Jap. str.	1 m.	T. Saito	MITSUBISHI KAISHA	On 20th inst., at Daylight.
SHANGHAI	DAIJIN MARU	Jap. str.	1 m.	T. Ogata	MITSUBISHI KAISHA	On 27th inst.
SHANGHAI	PRELA	Brit. str.	2 m.	H. Fraser	SHEWAN, TOMES & CO.	On 24th inst.
SHANGHAI	YUENANG	Brit. str.	2 m.	H. Fraser	JARDINE, MATHESON & CO.	To-morrow, at 5 P.M.
SHANGHAI	KASUGA MARU	Jap. str.	2 m.	H. Fraser	NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA	To-morrow, at 4 P.M.
SHANGHAI	SUNOKIANG	Brit. str.	2 m.	G. Sartoria	BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE	On 27th inst.
SHANGHAI	TSINAN	Jap. str.	2 m.	G. Sartoria	DAVID SASSOON, SONS & CO.	On 30th inst.
SHANGHAI	CANTHIA	Aus. str.	2 m.	Marocchino	SANDER, WIEBE & CO.	To-morrow, at 3 P.M.
SINGAPORE, PENANG & CALCUTTA						
SINGAPORE & BOMBAY						

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.
Nov. 15, LOKSANG, British str., 978, G. Leask, Amoy 14th November, General.—JARDINE, MATHESON & CO.
Nov. 15, MUREZ, British str., 2,229, Halliday, Shanghai 12th Nov., Ballast.—ARNOLD, KARRER & CO.
Nov. 16, ANPING MARU, Japanese str., 1,050, S. Atsumi, Swatow 15th Nov., General.—MITSUBISHI KAISHA.
Nov. 16, HONGKONG, British str., 2,679, A. W. S. Thomson, London 3rd Oct., General.—GIBB, LIVINGSTON & CO.
Nov. 16, NUNBERG, German str., 2,603, L. Ammon, Hamburg 25th Sept. and Singapore 9th Nov., General.—HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE.
Nov. 16, WATERWITCH, British surveying ship, 620, Lieut. Comdr. W. O. Lyne from a cruise.
Nov. 16, YUENANG, British str., 1,128, R. H. Rolfe, R.N.R., Manila via Amoy 13th Nov., General.—JARDINE, MATHESON & CO.
Nov. 17, ANAM, French str., 3,446, Sellier, Shanghai 14th Nov., Mails and General.—MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.
Nov. 17, DARDANUS, British str., 2,992, T. G. Steeves, Moji 14th November, General.—BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.
Nov. 17, FUSUN, British str., 1,500, Wm. H. Lunt, Shanghai 14th November, General.—CHINESE.
Nov. 17, GLENFALLOCH, British str., 1,434, R. S. Bainbridge, Singapore 9th Nov., General.—CHINESE.
Nov. 17, HALLAN, French str., 377, Anderson, Pakhoi and Hoihow 10th Nov., General.—A. R. MARY.
Nov. 17, JACOB DIERICHSEN, German str., 628, Jurgensen, Haiphong and Hoihow 15th Nov., General.—JENSEN & CO.
Nov. 17, LAL-TOCK, Spanish str., 185, Fabrigar, Manila 15th Nov., Ballast.—A. R. MARY.
Nov. 17, MARCO MINICHETTI, Italian trapt., Surtoria, Taku 11th November.
Nov. 17, SIAM, British steamer, 899, Binns, Shanghai 9th Nov., General.—MCBAIN & CO.
Nov. 17, SHAOHING, British steamer, 1,307, Sutherland, Penang 28th Sept. and Singapore 9th November, Coal.—BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.
Nov. 17, SKARPSNO, Norwegian str., 1,130, L. Tollefsen, Bangkok 8th November, Rice.—CHINESE.
Nov. 17, TAICHONG, German steamer, 828, H. Ahrens, Hoihow 12th Nov., Sugar and Wood.—MEYER & CO.

CLEARANCES.

At the Harbour Master's Office.
Clara, German str., for Haiphong.
Daigi Maru, Japanese str., for Swatow.
Gloucester City, British str., for Saigon.
Hoihow, French str., for Pakhoi.
Holstein, German str., for Saigon.
Kanagawa Maru, Japanese str., for Singapore.
Lokang, British str., for Canton.
Mexican Prince, British str., for Singapore.
Murex, British str., for Shanghai.
Taichow, German str., for Swatow.
Thides, British str., for Swatow.
Wilhelmina, Norwegian str., for Moji.

DEPARTURES.

16th November.
ACARA, British str., for Shanghai.
AISLA CRAIG, British str., for Moji.
CHIVVEN, American str., for Canton.
CLAVENING, British str., for Tacoma.
HOKAN MARU, Jap. str., for Kaituma.
LOONGMOON, German str., for Canton.
MARQUE BACQUERRE, Aust. str., for Bombay.
NANCY, British str., for Tientsin.
PARKMAN, British str., for Singapore.
P. C. K. CRO, German str., for Bangkok.
STATE OF MAINE, Am. ship, for New York.
STUTTGART, German str., for Shanghai.
TAIYUAN, British str., for Shanghai.
17th November.
CLARA, German str., for Haiphong.
DAIGI MARU, Japanese str., for Swatow.
LOKANG, British str., for Canton.
THALES, British str., for Swatow.
WILHELMINA, Norwegian str., for Moji.

VESSELS IN DOCK.

14th November.
ABERDEEN DOCK.—Perla, Mayag.
KOWLOON DOCK.—Canton River, Eleaso.
H.M.S. Archibald, H. J. Albrecht, Kowloon.
Tacoma, Hans Meisel, Hongkong, Chidra.
U.S.S. Princeton, H.M.S. Whiting, Kowloon.
Formosa, Justin.
COSMOPOLITAN DOCK.—Owaga.

SHIPPING REPORTS.

The British steamer *Fushun*, from Shanghai 14th inst., had fresh to moderate N.E. winds and fine weather throughout.
The British steamer *Dardanus*, from Moji 14th inst., had fresh northerly winds and cloudy weather to Farnabout; then moderate and clear to port.

NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR DEBTS.

Neither the CAPTAINS, the AGENTS, nor the OWNERS will be RESPONSIBLE for any DEBT contracted by the Officers or the Crews of the following Vessels during their stay in Hongkong Harbour:
Dardanus, British ship, A. Low.—Carlowitz & Co.
Ossessa, British barque, Denmore.—ORDER W. H. CONNER, American ship, Colcord—Standard Oil Co.

VESSELS ON THE BERTH.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.
PAQUEBOTS-POSTES FRANCAIS.

NOTICE.

SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, COLOMBO, PONDICHERY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, DIBOUTI, EGYPT, MARSEILLES, MEDITERRANEAN AND BLACK SEA PORTS, LONDON, HAVRE, BORDEAUX, ALGER, GENOA, NAPLES, PORT SAID, SUEZ, CANAL, PANAMA, COLON, SAN PEDRO DE MACORIS, SAN PABLO, SAN FERNANDO, SAN CARLOS, SAN LUIS, SAN SEBASTIAN, SAN PEDRO DE MACORIS, SAN PABLO, SAN FERNANDO, SAN CARLOS, SAN LUIS, SAN SEBASTIAN.

PORTS OF BRAZIL AND RIVER PLATE.

ON MONDAY, the 18th November, 1901, at 1 P.M., the Company's Steamship "ANAM," Captain Sellier, with Mails, Passengers, Space and Cargo, will leave this port for MARSEILLES via ports of call, WITHOUT TRANSITMENT.

Cargo and Space will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for the principal places of Europe.
Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon. Cargo will be received on board until 4 P.M. Space and Parcels until 3 P.M. on the 17th November. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.) Contents and Value of Packages are required.
For further particulars, apply at the Company's Office.
P. DE CHAMPORIN, Acting Agent.
Hong Kong, 6th November, 1901.

FOR NAGASAKI AND VLADIVOSTOK.

THE Steamship "DAPHNE," Captain Schipper, will be despatched for the above ports TO-DAY, the 18th inst., at 5 P.M. This Steamer has superior accommodation for First Class Passengers.
For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSEN & CO., Agents.
Hongkong, 15th November, 1901.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA.

THE Steamship "LIGHTNING," Captain J. G. Spence, will be despatched for the above ports TO-MORROW, the 19th inst., at 3 P.M.
For Freight or Passage, apply to DAVID SASSOON, BONS & CO., Agents.
Hongkong, 14th November, 1901.

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR MANILA DIRECT.
THE Company's Steamship "YUENANG," Captain Rolfe, will be despatched as above TO-MORROW, the 19th inst., at 4 P.M. This steamer has superior accommodation for First-class Passengers, is fitted throughout with Electric Light, and carries a Doctor.
For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & CO., General Managers.
Hongkong, 14th November, 1901.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY CO.'S

ROYAL MAIL STEAMSHIP LINE.

THE FAST ROUTE BETWEEN CHINA, JAPAN, AND EUROPE, VIA CANADA AND THE UNITED STATES.

CALLING AT SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, KOBÉ, YOKOHAMA AND VICTORIA, B.C.

SAFETY. SPEED. PUNCTUALITY.
"Empress" Twin Screw Steamships—6,000 Tons—10,000 Horse-Power—Speed 19 knots.

SAVING THREE TO SEVEN DAYS ACROSS THE PACIFIC.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG.

(SUBJECT TO ALTERATION).
"EMPEROR OF INDIA".....Comdr. O. P. Marshall, R.N.R. WEDNESDAY, 20th Nov., 1901
"ATHENIAN".....Comdr. H. Mowatt, R.N.R. WEDNESDAY, 4th Dec., 1901
"EMPEROR OF JAPAN".....Comdr. H. Pybus, R.N.R. WEDNESDAY, 18th Dec., 1901
"EMPEROR OF CHINA".....Comdr. E. Archibald, R.N.R. WEDNESDAY, 15th Jan., 1902
"TARTAR".....Comdr. E. Beetham, R.N.R. WEDNESDAY, 29th Jan., 1902

THE magnificent TWIN-SCREW STEAMSHIPS of this Line pass through the famous INLAND SEA OF JAPAN, and make the voyage YOKOHAMA to VAN COUVER (B.C.) in 12 DAYS, saving THREE DAYS to WEEK in the Trans-Pacific journey and making connection at Vancouver with the PALATIAL OVERLAND TRAINS of the CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY, which leave daily and cross the Continent FROM THE PACIFIC TO THE ATLANTIC WITHOUT CHANGE. Close connection is made at Montreal, Quebec, Halifax, New York and Boston with all Trans-Atlantic Lines, which passengers to Great Britain and the Continent are given choice of.
Passengers Booked through to all principal points and AROUND THE WORLD. Return tickets to various points at reduced rates, Good for 4, 6, 9, and 12 months.
SPECIAL RATES (First class only) granted to Missionaries, Members of the Naval, Military, Diplomatic, and Civil Services, and to European Officials in the Service of China and Japan Governments.

The attractive features of this Company's route embrace its PALATIAL STEAMSHIPS (second to none in the world), the LUXURIANCE OF ITS TRANS-CONTINENTAL TRAINS (the Company having received the highest award for same at recent Chicago World Exhibition), and the diversity of MAGNIFICENT MOUNTAIN AND LAKE SCENERY through which the Railway passes.
THE DINING CARS and MOUNTAIN HOTELS of this route are owned and operated by the Company, and their appointments and Cuisine are unequalled.

SPECIAL EXTRA SERVICE.

The Company's Steamships "TARTAR" and "ATHENIAN" have now been placed on the Line between CHINA and JAPAN PORTS and VANCOUVER, as additional sailings, taking Cargo and Passengers for all points in CANADA and the UNITED STATES.
In addition to the excellent First Saloon Passenger accommodation, the "ATHENIAN" takes 2nd Cabin Passengers with accommodation unequalled on the Pacific, also Steerage.
The "TARTAR" takes First Class and Steerage Passengers only. The run is usually made between YOKOHAMA and VANCOUVER in 14 days.
For further information, Maps, Guides, Books, Rates of Passage and Freight, apply to D. E. BROWN, General Agent, Pedder's Street.

Hongkong, 15th November, 1901.

HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE.

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

OSTASIATISCHER FRACHTDAMPFER DIENST.

Taking Cargo at through rates to ANTWERP, AMSTERDAM, ROTTERDAM, GENEVA, LISBON, OPORTO, LONDON, LIVERPOOL, GLASGOW, THIRIST, GENOA, PORTS in the LEVANT, BLACK SEA and BALIC PORTS, NORTH and SOUTH AMERICAN PORTS.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG.

SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.

STEAMERS.	DESTINATIONS.	SAILING DATES.
MARBURG	HAVRE & HAMBURG (Calling at Singapore and Colombo)	On 30th Nov. Freight.
SUEVIA	HAVRE & HAMBURG (Calling at Singapore and Penang)	On 14th Dec. Freight.
SERBIA	HAVRE & HAMBURG (Calling at Singapore and Colombo)	On 28th Dec. Freight.
NUERNBERG	HAVRE & HAMBURG (Calling at Singapore and Penang)	On 6th Jan. 1902 Freight.
CAPT. AMMON	HAVRE & HAMBURG (Calling at Singapore and Colombo)	On 13th Jan. 1902 Freight.
STRASSBURG	HAVRE & HAMBURG (Calling at Singapore and Colombo)	On 27th Jan. 1902 Freight.
SAMBIA	HAVRE & HAMBURG (Calling at Singapore and Penang)	On 30th Jan. 1902 Freight.

For Further Particulars, apply to HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE, HONGKONG OFFICE, QUEEN'S BUILDINGS, No. 1.

Hongkong, 4th November, 1901.

NORTHERN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP CO.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG, via SHANGHAI, INLAND SEA OF JAPAN, KOBÉ AND YOKOHAMA.

FOR VICTORIA, B.C., AND TACOMA, IN CONNECTION WITH NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY.

Steamer.	Tons.	Captain.	Proposed Sailing.
BRAMMAR	3,601	W. Watt	November 26th
DUKE OF FIFE	3,821	J. S. Cox	December 3rd
TACOMA	2,811	A. Dixon	December 17th
VICTORIA	3,502	J. Fulton	December 27th

THE attention of Passengers is directed to the very cheap rates offered by this Line to the PACIFIC COAST and to the INTERIOR and EASTERN CITIES of the UNITED STATES and to EUROPE.

HONGKONG TO LONDON, 252.
Excellent accommodation. First-class Table. Doctor and Stewardess carried. Passengers to EUROPE may proceed by one of the First-Class ATLANTIC MAIL LINE.

HONGKONG TO NEW YORK, 248.
The Railroad travelling is second to none on the American Continent; two trans-continental trains daily from Tacoma; Dining Car is attached to trans-continental train; day and night trains to New York in 4 days. Magnificent Scenery of the Rocky and Cascade Mountains. The YELLOWSTONE NATIONAL PARK route.

HONGKONG TO VICTORIA AND TACOMA, 235.
The best route to the Klamath Gold Fields. Frequent sailings from Victoria and Tacoma to DRYA and ST. MICHAEL.

Rates of Passage to other Ports on application.
A Special Rate allowed to members of Government Service.
For further information as to Passage or Freight, apply to DODWELL & CO. LIMITED, General Agents.

Hongkong, 18th November, 1901.

PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL

STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

FOR MARSEILLES, LONDON, SHANGHAI, SINGAPORE, PENANG, CALCUTTA, AND BOMBAY.

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FOR MARSEILLES, LONDON,

VESSELS ON THE BERTH

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FROM	OUTWARDS.	TO
GLASGOW and LIVERPOOL	"IXION".....	On 21st November.
GLASGOW and LIVERPOOL	"DEUCALION".....	On 25th November.
GLASGOW and LIVERPOOL	"PELEUS".....	On 5th December.
GLASGOW and LIVERPOOL	"PATROCLUS".....	On 15th December.

FOR	HOMEWARDS.	TO SAIL
LONDON	"MACHAON".....	On 26th November.
LONDON	"ACHILLES".....	On 24th December.
LONDON	"GLAUCUS".....	On 7th January.
LONDON	"DEUCALION".....	On 21st January.
LONDON	"PELEUS".....	On 15th November.
LIVERPOOL DIRECT	"DARDANUS".....	On 15th December.
LIVERPOOL DIRECT	"IXION".....	On 15th December.
LIVERPOOL DIRECT	"PATROCLUS".....	On 15th January.

For Freight, apply to
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
AGENTS O. S. S. Co.

Hongkong, 6th November, 1901.

CHINA NAVIGATION CO., LIMITED.

FOR	STEAMERS	TO SAIL
SHANGHAI	"WOOSUNG".....	On 19th November.
MANILA	"SUNGKIANG".....	On 27th November.
MANILA	"TSINAN".....	On 30th November.
PORT DARWIN, THURSDAY ISLAND, COOKTOWN, TOWNSVILLE, BRISBANE, SYDNEY and MELBOURNE	"TSINAN".....	On 30th November.

The attention of Passengers is directed to the superior accommodation offered by these steamers, which are fitted throughout with Electric Light. A fully qualified Surgeon is carried.

For Freight or Passage, apply to—

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
AGENTS.

Hongkong, 18th November, 1901.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

PAQUEBOTS-POSTES FRANÇAIS.
FOR SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA.

THE Company's Steamship

"VILLE DE LA CIOTAT"

Captain Fiaschi, will be despatched for the above ports on or about the 17th inst., instead of as previously notified.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
P. de CHAMPORIN,
Acting Agent.

Hongkong, 13th November, 1901.

NAVIGAZIONE GENERALE ITALIANA
(FLORENCE AND RAVENNA UNITED COMPANIES).

STEAM FOR NAPLES AND GENOA (DIRECT).

THE Steamship

"MARGO MINGHETTI"

Captain G. Bartorelli, will be despatched as above on or about TUESDAY, the 18th inst., at Noon.

For further particulars, apply to
CARLOWITZ & CO.,
Agents.

Hongkong, 15th November, 1901.

THE CHINA & MANILA STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR MANILA AND ILOILO.

THE Company's Steamship

"PERLA"

Captain G. T. B. will be despatched as above TO MORROW, the 19th inst., at 5 P.M.

The attention of Passengers is directed to the excellent accommodation provided by this steamer. She is fitted throughout with Electric Light and is supplied with a Refrigerating Chamber.

A Doctor is carried.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
SHEWAN, TOMES & CO.,
General Managers.

Hongkong, 16th November, 1901.

REGULAR STEAMSHIP SERVICE TO NEW YORK VIA PORTS AND SUEZ CANAL.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG:

"RICHMOND CASTLE" About 20th Nov.

"KREIDSTAN" About 30th Nov.

"LENNON" About 15th Dec.

"ORONAY" About 25th Dec.

APRIL 1902

"HILGLEN" To follow.

"LOWTHER CASTLE" To follow.

For Freight and further information, apply to
DODWELL & CO., LTD.,
Agents.

Hongkong, 14th November, 1901.

NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA.

FOR MANILA.

THE Company's Steamship

"KASUGA MARU"

3,873 tons gross, Captain E. Fraser, will be despatched for the above port on FRIDAY, the 22nd inst., at 4 P.M.

This new Mail Steamer is specially constructed for service in the Tropics, and is provided with superior accommodation, and with all modern fittings and improvements for the safety and comfort of Passengers. Electric Light and Refrigerator. Doctor and Stewardess carried.

For Freight and Passage, apply to
A. S. MIHARA,
Manager.

Hongkong, 18th November, 1901.

THE OSAKA SHOSHEN KAISHA, LIMITED.

FOR ANPING (VIA SWATOW AND AMOY).

THE Company's Steamship

"MAIDZURU MARU"

Captain T. Saito, will be despatched for the above ports on WEDNESDAY, the 27th inst.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
THE MITSUI BUSSAN KAISHA,
Agents.

Hongkong, 14th November, 1901.

VESSELS ON THE BERTH

THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

STEAM FOR STRAITS, CEYLON, AUSTRALIA, INDIA, ADEEN, EGYPT, MEDITERRANEAN PORTS, PLYMOUTH AND LONDON. THROUGH BILLS OF LADING ISSUED FOR BATAVIA, PERSIAN GULF, CONTINENTAL AND AMERICAN PORTS.

THE Steamship

"PARRAMATTA"

Captain R. T. Cook, R.N., carrying His Majesty's Mails, will be despatched from this for Bombay, on SATURDAY, the 23rd November, at Noon, taking passengers and cargo for the above ports.

Silk and Valuables, all cargo for France, and Tea for London (under arrangement) will be transhipped at Colombo into a steamer proceeding direct to Marseilles and London; other cargo for London, &c., will be conveyed via Bombay with transshipment.

Parcels will be received at this Office until 4 P.M. the day before sailing. The contents and value of all packages are required.

Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms and conditions of the Company's Bills of Lading.

For further particulars, apply to
E. A. HEWETT,
Superintendent.

Hongkong, 11th November, 1901.

AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

STEAM TO YOKOHAMA AND KOBE.

THE Company's Steamship

"AUSTRIA"

Captain Fellner, will leave for the above places on SATURDAY, the 23rd inst., at 1 P.M.

The Steamer has capital accommodation for Passengers. Electric Light. A Doctor is carried.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
SANDER, WIELER & CO.,
Agents.

Hongkong, 15th November, 1901.

THE CHINA MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

TRANS-PACIFIC SERVICE

TO VICTORIA (B.C.), SEATTLE AND TACOMA (WASH).

THE Steamship

"PING SUEY"

4,150 Tons, Commander de la Perrelle, is due here on the 25th inst., and will have quick despatch.

For Rates of Freight and Further Particulars, apply to
DODWELL & CO., LTD.,
Agents.

Hongkong, 16th November, 1901.

NATAL LINE OF STEAMERS.

THE Undersigned GENERAL AGENTS

in CHINA and JAPAN for the above Line are prepared to issue THROUGH BILLS OF LADING for all the principal ports in SOUTH AFRICA in connection with the CHINA MUTUAL NAVIGATION CO.'s fortnightly service hence to CALCUTTA. Sailings from CALCUTTA for CAPE PORTS every fortnight.

For Freight and further particulars, apply to
DODWELL & CO., LIMITED,
General Agents for China and Japan.

Hongkong, 4th August, 1897.

NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES

IMPERIAL GERMAN MAIL LINE.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE Steamship

"SPUTTGART"

having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Treasure, and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Limited, Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 12 o'clock Noon, TO-DAY, the 15th inst.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 22nd inst. will be subject to rent.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on TUESDAY, the 19th inst., and THURSDAY, the 21st inst., at 9.30 A.M.

All claims must reach us before the 27th inst., or they will not be recognized.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the undersigned.

NORDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

MELCHERS & CO.,
Agents.

Hongkong, 15th November, 1901.

"MOGUL" LINE OF STEAMERS.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

STEAMSHIP "AFRIDI"

FROM GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL AND STRAITS.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, at Kowloon, whence and/or from the wharves may be obtained.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon, TO-DAY, the 11th inst.

No claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 17th inst. will be subject to rent.

All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 18th inst., or they will not be recognized.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 18th inst., at 3 P.M.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by
DODWELL & CO., LIMITED
Agents.

Hongkong, 11th November, 1901.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

CONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer

"GLAUCUS"

are hereby notified that the Cargo is being discharged into Craft, and/or landed at the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Ltd., in both cases it will be at Consignees' risk. The Cargo will be ready for delivery from Craft or Godown on and after the 13th inst.

Optional Cargo will be landed, unless notice has been given prior to steamer's arrival. Goods undelivered after the 18th inst. will be subject to rent. All damaged Goods must be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined at 11 A.M. on the 18th inst.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
Agents.
Hongkong, 11th November, 1901.

NORTHERN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

STEAMSHIP "BRAEMAR"

FROM TACOMA, VICTORIA, YOKOHAMA, KOBE, MOJI AND SHANGHAI.

THE above Steamer having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for re-consignation, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

DODWELL & CO., LIMITED,
Agents.
Hongkong, 14th November, 1901.

AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM KOBE.

THE Steamship

"MARQUIS BACQUEHEM"

having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Limited, whence delivery may be obtained.

No claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all claims must be sent in to the Office of the undersigned before Noon, on the 21st November, or they will not be recognized.

No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 21st November will be subject to rent.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by
SANDER, WIELER & CO.,
Agents.

Hongkong, 14th October, 1901.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

"GLEN" LINE OF STEAMERS.

FROM ANTWERP, LONDON AND STRAITS.

THE Steamship

"GLENHARRY"

having arrived from the above ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Limited, at Kowloon, where each consignment will be sorted out mark by mark, and delivery can be obtained as soon as the Goods are landed.

Goods not cleared by the 20th inst. will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

All damaged packages must be left in the Godowns, and a certificate of the damage obtained from the Godown Co. within ten days after the steamer's arrival, after which no claims will be recognized.

McGREGOR BROS. & GOW,
Agents.
Hongkong, 14th November, 1901.

INSURANCES

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

TOTAL FUNDS at 31st DECEMBER, 1900, £14,732,681.

LIABILITIES: £23,000,000 0 0

PAID-UP CAPITAL: £750,000 0 0

PAID-UP CAPITAL: £67,500 0 0

LIABILITIES: £2,883,716 14 4

The Undersigned, having been appointed AGENTS for the above Company, are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current Rates.

SHEWAN, TOMES & CO.,
Agents.

Hongkong, 3rd July, 1901.

SUN INSURANCE OFFICE, LONDON

FOUNDED 1710.

The Undersigned having been appointed AGENTS for the above Company, are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current Rates.

SIEMSEN & CO.,
Agents.

Hongkong, 16th May, 1892.

SALAMANDER FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned, having been appointed AGENTS for the above Company, are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current Rates.

HOTZ, & JACOB & CO.,
Agents.

Hongkong, 2nd April, 1900.

THE WESTERN ASSURANCE COMPANY OF TORONTO, CANADA, INCORPORATED 1851.

CAPITAL: £410,000.

THE Undersigned, having been appointed AGENTS for the above Company, are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current Rates.

Wm. MEYERINK & CO.,
Agents.

Hongkong, 18th May, 1900.

NORTH GERMAN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF HAMBURG

The Undersigned AGENTS of the above Company are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current Rates.

SIEMSEN & CO.,
Agents.

Hongkong, 29th May, 1895.

PHOENIX FIRE OFFICE

The Undersigned are now prepared to GRANT POLICIES of INSURANCE against FIRE at Current Rates.

DOUGLAS LAFRAIK & CO.,
Agents for the Phoenix Fire Office.

Hongkong, 17th August, 1887.

AACHEN AND MUNICH FIRE INSURANCE CO.

OF AIX-LE-CHAPPEL.

THE Undersigned, having been appointed AGENTS for the above Company, are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current Rates.

REUTER, BROCKELMANN & CO.,
Agents.

Hongkong, 21st April, 1897.

"L'URBAINE"

FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LD.

(Established 1838.)

THE Undersigned, having been appointed AGENTS for the above Company, are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current Rates.

P. LEMAIRE & CO.,
Agents.

Hongkong, 7th February, 1901.

TRANSATLANTIC FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF HAMBURG

The Undersigned, having been appointed AGENTS for the above Company, are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current Rates.

SIEMSEN & CO.,
Agents.

Hongkong, 16th November, 1892.

HONGKONG STEAMERS.

Amara, British str., 1,568, Matlock, Nov. 14.

Jardine, Matheson & Co.

Annan, French str., 3,446, Selkirk, Nov. 17.

Messageries Maritimes

Anping Maru, Jap. str., 1,058, Asumi, Nov. 16.

Mitsui Bussan Kaisha

Athlonia, British str., 2,424, Mowatt, Nov. 14.

C. P. R. Co.

Bendloch, British str., 2,670, Thomson, Nov. 16.

Gibb, Livingston & Co.

Braemar, British str., 2,316, Watt, Nov. 16.

Dodwell & Co., Limited

Chelydra, British str., 1,564, Cox, Oct. 31.

Jardine, Matheson & Co.

Daphne, German str., 1,290, Schipper, Nov. 14.

East Asiatic Trading Co., Ltd.

Dardanus, British str., 2,892, Stevens, Nov. 17.

Butterfield & Swire

